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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Applicants apprise that PTO that their US Patent No. 6,161,099 (which issued from the parent application from which this continuing application claims priority under 35 USC 120) is being asserted in a patent infringement litigation captioned as follows:

*Muniauction, Inc. d/b/a Grant Street Group, Inc. v. Thomson Corporation  
t/d/b/a Thomson Financial and/or Thomson Financial Municipals Group,  
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A copy of the complaint and amended complaint as filed in the court is attached.

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